



YI WANG et al.

Group Art Unit: 1644

Examiner: P. GAMBEL

For: METHODS FOR THE
TREATMENT OF
INFLAMMATORY JOINT
DISEASE USING C5
ANTIBODIES

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed 02 March 2004 finally rejecting claims 1-14 and 17-34.

Please charge our Deposit Account No. 08-0219 for the required fee of \$330, for the Notice of Appeal pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(b).

A Petition for a two (2) month Extension of Time is filed concurrently herewith, which extends the period for response from 02 June 2004 to 02 August 2004. The Petition further

authorizes the PTO to charge the two month extension fee of \$420 to our Deposit Account No. 08-0219.

Applicants believe no other fees are due in connection with this Petition. However, if there are any other fees due, please charge them to Deposit Account 08-0219. Also, please credit any overpayment to the same Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,



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